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SUBJECT: GATT WP ON TRADE WITH POLAND

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, OUR POSITION AT NINTH REVIEW IS ESSENTIALLY AS FOR LAST WP. USDEL SHOULD, AS IN PAST, SUPPORT POLISH EFFORT TO FIX FIRM DATE FOR TERMINATION OF ALL DISCRIMINATORY QR'S AGAINST POLAND. US CONSIDERS TRANSITIONAL PERIOD STILL IN EFFECT AS LONG AS CP'S MAINTAIN QUANTITY OR VALUE RESTRICTIONS, NOT COVERED BY WAIVER, WHICH DISCRIMINATE AGAINST POLISH GOODS.

2. USDEL SHOULD AGAIN SUPPORT EXPECTED POLISH CRITICISM OF SLOW PACE OF LIBERALIZATION OF EC RESTRICTIONS, BUT NOT GO BEYOND POLISH POSITION.

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3. SHOULD SUBJECT OF POLISH TARIFF BE RAISED BY POLAND OR OTHER CP'S, USDEL SHOULD STATE THAT WE BELIEVE TARIFF DESERVES MORE CAREFUL CONSIDERATION THAN WOULD BE FEASIBLE AT CURRENT WP MEETING. WE THEREFORE SUGGEST FORMATION OF SEPARATE WP TO EXAMINE NATURE AND APPLICATION OF TARIFF. THE U.S. WOULD WISH TO PARTICIPATE IN SUCH A WP.

4. FYI - PRELIMINARY
1976 U.S.-POLISH FOREIGN TRADE
FIGURES SHOW U.S. EXPORTS - $623.4 MILLION; U.S. IMPORTS FROM POLAND - $318.8 MILLION. POLISH IMPORTS FROM U.S. THUS ROSE 5.8 PERCENT OVER 1975, AND POLISH EXPORTS WERE UP 31 . AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF GROWTH SINCE 1973 IS 25.3 PERCENT FOR POLISH IMPORTS FROM U.S.; 18.6 PERCENT FOR POLISH EXPORTS.
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